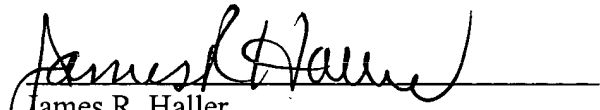


**REMARKS**

Claims 1.-39 have been cancelled. New claims 40-42 have been added,

Respectfully submitted,

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